

908 KAR 2:260E Targeted Case Management
KY Department for Behavioral Health, Developmental and Intellectual Disabilities
Twelve (12)-Hours Core Curriculum Criteria Rubric
to Satisfy Training Requirements

The following curriculum rubric details the core competencies to be included in the 12 hour Core Competency Curriculum for the training of Behavioral Health Targeted Case Managers (BHTCM). This includes BHTCMs serving Adults with Serious Mental Illness (SMI), Youth with Severe Emotional Disability (SED), Adolescents and Adults with Substance Use Disorder (SUD) or Pregnant women with substance use or targeted case managers serving individuals with co-occurring behavioral health conditions (SMI, SED, SUD) and chronic or complex physical health conditions. The curriculum submitted for approval should be reflective of services for adults and children/youth.

Overview of Core Competency Requirements

- Core Competencies that ***require in-person, face to face*** training include:
 - Core Competency 1. Engaging Consumers and Family Members
 - Core Competency 2. Behavioral Health Crisis Management
 - Core Competency 3. Strength-Based Case Management
 - Core Competency 4. Ethics
 - Core Competency 5. Behavioral Health Diagnoses & Understanding Treatment
 - Core Competency 7. Integrated Care
 - Core Competency 8. Advocacy Skills and Empowering Consumers
- *If a training method other than in-person, face to face is chosen for the following Core Competencies:*
 - Core Competency 6. Cultural Awareness
 - Core Competency 9. Developmental Perspectives Across the Life Span
 - Core Competency 10. Documentation – Regulations

If a training method other than in-person, face to face is chosen, video or other media used must be submitted with the curriculum.
- Interactive teaching strategies must be used for the Core Competencies.

Detailed Curriculum Requirements

Directions for Curriculum Rubric: Provide the submitting provider's name in the upper right corner on the first page. Provide the document file name of the corresponding core competency and then provide the page number for that specific item in the core competency as indicated in the following curriculum rubric. Please see the sections highlighted in yellow below. Once the information is completed save as a Word Document (preferred) or as a PDF. For information on submitting the curriculum and necessary documents, please go to the Kentucky Department for Behavioral Health, Developmental and Intellectual and Disabilities website at <http://dbhdid.ky.gov>

		Completed by Submitter of the Curriculum Provide document file name of the corresponding core competency and then provide the page number for each specific item in the core competency	Completed by the Reviewer		
Core Competencies of the Quality Curriculum	Specifics for the Curriculum	Example: Core Competency 1 (<i>is the file name</i>), Page 3	Does not Meet	Partially Meets	Meets
Core Competency 1. Engaging Consumers and Family Members (3 hours) <i>Must be provided in an In-person, face to face format</i>	Engagement and Effective Communication				
	Define OARS (Open-ended questions, Affirmations, Reflections, and Summarizing): (<i>scored below</i>)				
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Open-ended	File Name: Page No.:			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Affirmations	File Name: Page No.:			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Reflections	File Name: Page No.:			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Summarizing	File Name: Page No.:			
	Provide evidence that OARS is practiced based upon the motivational interviewing technique.	File Name: Page No.:			
	Describe how to identify and support individuals through the stages of change as defined by Prochaska and DiClemente stages of change.	File Name: Page No.:			
	Consumer and Family Centered Services				
	Define concepts of: Family driven, youth guided, consumer driven and system of care. (<i>scored below</i>)				
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Family Driven	File Name: Page No.:			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Youth Guided	File Name: Page No.:			

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Consumer Driven 	File Name: Page No.:			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> System of Care 	File Name: Page No.:			
	Describe how these concepts (family driven, youth guided, consumer driven and system of care) are applicable to the scope of work as a Targeted Case Manager (TCM) (provide an example of each of the listed concepts). <i>(scored below)</i> :				
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Family Driven Example 	File Name: Page No.:			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Youth Guided Example 	File Name: Page No.:			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Consumer Driven Example 	File Name: Page No.:			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> System of Care Example 	File Name: Page No.:			
	Trauma-Informed Care				
	Define trauma to include: An understanding of the prevalence, the impact of trauma and the complexity to healing and recovery. <i>(scored below)</i>				
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Understanding of the prevalence 	File Name: Page No.:			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Impact of trauma 	File Name: Page No.:			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Complexity to healing and recovery 	File Name: Page No.:			
	Define trauma informed care.	File Name: Page No.:			
	Describe the 5 core values within a culture of trauma-informed care which are: Safety, trustworthiness, choice, collaboration and empowerment. <i>(scored below)</i>				
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Safety 	File Name: Page No.:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Trustworthiness 	File Name: Page No.:				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Choice 	File Name: Page No.:				

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Collaboration 	File Name:			
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Empowerment 	File Name:			
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	Provide at least 3 examples of how trauma informed care principles are utilized in the practice of case management. <i>(scored below)</i>				
	Example 1	File Name:			
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Example 2	File Name:				
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Example 3	File Name:				
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Provide an overview of the Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACE) Study. This overview will include an explanation of the correlation between early trauma and later functioning. Web address for this study: http://www.acestudy.org/yahoo_site_admin/assets/docs/RelationshipofACEs.127152545.pdf	File Name:				
	Page No.:				
Core Competency 2. Behavioral Health Crisis Management (1 hour) <i>Must be provided in an In-person, face to face format</i>	Behavioral Health Crisis Management				
	Define behavioral health crisis.	File Name:			
		Page No.:			
	Provide instruction on behavioral health crisis intervention strategies and resources (include at least 3 examples of each). <i>(scored below)</i>				
	Example 1 Strategies and Resources	File Name:			
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	Example 2 Strategies and Resources	File Name:			
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	Example 3 Strategies and Resources	File Name:			
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Provide instruction on writing (assisting) consumers and families in writing a behavioral health crisis prevention plan.	File Name:				
	Page No.:				
Suicide Prevention and Awareness (e.g., Question, Persuade, and Respond – QPR) http://www.qprinstitute.com/					
Define suicide risks, signs and behaviors (as described in the Zero Suicide Model) SAMHSA. <i>(scored below)</i>					
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Suicide Risks 	File Name:				
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Suicide Signs 	File Name: Page No.:			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Suicide Behaviors 	File Name: Page No.:			
	Identify at least 3-appropriate responses when working with potential suicide risk. (scored below)				
	Example 1 Appropriate Response	File Name: Page No.:			
	Example 2 Appropriate Response	File Name: Page No.:			
	Example 3 Appropriate Response	File Name: Page No.:			
Core Competency 3. Strength-based Case Management (1 hour) <i>Must be provided in an In-person, face to face format</i>	Strength-Based Case Management				
	Define and describe a strengths-based needs assessment.	File Name: Page No.:			
	Provide evidence (training participants practice) of practice in the development of a strength-based needs assessment by the Targeted Case Manager.	File Name: Page No.:			
	Explain how to identify and use strengths in case planning.	File Name: Page No.:			
Core Competency 4. Ethics (1 hour) <i>Must be provided in an In-person, face to face format</i>	Boundary Issues				
	Define appropriate boundaries between the Targeted Case Manager and the client.	File Name: Page No.:			
	Provide instruction on how to handle boundary breaches (at a minimum include supervision, reporting requirements). (scored below)				
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Supervision 	File Name: Page No.:			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reporting Requirement 	File Name: Page No.:			
	Confidentiality				
	Provide instruction on applicable laws including Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) and Client Rights for the Targeted Case Manager.	File Name: Page No.:			

	Abuse/Neglect Issues				
	Provide instruction on the KY statutes related to abuse and neglect. Include at least: KRS 209.030 (Adult abuse, neglect or exploitation) and KRS 620.030 (Duty to report child dependency, neglect, abuse or human trafficking) <i>(scored below)</i>				
	• KRS 209.030	File Name:			
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	• KRS 620.030	File Name:			
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	Instruction on abuse and neglect reporting requirements (at a minimum include supervision, reporting procedures). <i>(scored below)</i>				
Core Competency 5. Behavioral Health Diagnosis & Understanding Treatment (1 hour) <i>Must be provided in an</i> <i>In-person, face to face</i> <i>format</i>	• Supervision	File Name:			
		Page No.:			
	• Reporting Procedures	File Name:			
		Page No.:			
	Diagnoses/Symptoms				
	Provide an overview of behavioral health diagnoses (as defined in the most current =edition of the APA's Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders- DSM).	File Name:			
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	Describe symptoms of and treatment for mental health disorders for both adults and children.	File Name:			
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	Describe symptoms of and treatment for substance use disorders for both adults and youth.	File Name:			
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	Define the meaning of co-occurring mental health and substance use disorders.	File Name:			
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	Describe symptoms of and treatment for co-occurring mental health/substance use disorders as listed below: <i>(scored below)</i>				
	• Depression and Substance Use	File Name:			
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	• Anxiety and Substance Use	File Name:			
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	• Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder and Substance Use	File Name:			
		Page No.:			
	• Schizophrenia with Substance Use	File Name:			
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bi-polar with Substance Use 	File Name:			
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	Medication Side-Effects				
	Define common side effects of medications prescribed for psychiatric and substance use disorders.	File Name:			
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	Describe the professional limitations regarding medication, including medication administration.	File Name:			
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	Provide at least 3 possible reasons for medication non-adherence. <i>(scored below)</i>				
Core Competency 6. Cultural Awareness (1 hour)	Example 1 Reason for Medication Non-adherence	File Name:			
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	Example 2 Reason for Medication Non-adherence	File Name:			
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	Example 3 Reason for Medication Non-adherence	File Name:			
		Page No.:			
	Cultural Awareness				
	Define culture competency in your curriculum including : Integrated pattern of thoughts, communications, actions, customs, beliefs, values, and institutions, associated wholly or partially, with racial, ethnic, or linguistic groups, as well as with religious, spiritual, biological, geographical, or sociological characteristics.	File Name:			
		Page No.:			
	Provide overall instruction on how to provide effective, equitable, understandable, and respectful quality care and services that are responsive to diverse cultural health beliefs and practices.*	File Name:			
		Page No.:			
	Provide examples to include at least the following populations *(from the above): <i>(scored below)</i>				
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Race/ethnicity 	File Name:			
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender 	File Name:			
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Deaf/hard of hearing 	File Name:			
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Poverty 	File Name:			
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Military/veterans 	File Name:			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rural populations 	Page No.:			
Core Competency 7. Integrated Care (1 hour) <i>Must be provided in an In-person, face to face format</i>	Integrated Care				
	Identify and describe common co-morbidity issues related to serving individuals with co-occurring behavioral health (mental health or substance use) and physical health disorders and briefly describe common issues related to serving individuals with behavioral health and/or physical health disorders and developmental or intellectual disorders. <i>(scored below)</i>				
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Co-morbidity issues related to physical health and mental health disorders 	File Name:			
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Co-morbidity issues related to physical health and substance use disorders 	File Name:			
		Page No.:			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Co-morbidity issues related to physical health and developmental or intellectual disorders 	File Name:			
Core Competency 8. Advocacy Skills/Empowering Consumers (1 hour) <i>Must be provided in an In-person, face to face format</i>		Page No.:			
	Describe the statistical relationships associated with co-morbid physical health and behavioral health conditions (e.g., prevalence rates, mortality rates, associated cultural factors or other for example.)				
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	Describe appropriate interventions to be used by the Targeted Case Manager with a client who has co-occurring disorders, including interventions appropriate for working with other providers who are serving the client .				
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	Advocacy Skills				
	Provide an overview of how to navigate the health and social services systems that adults and children may be involved with in their local community. Include at a minimum: Courts, DCBS, Corrections, Education, Vocational Rehabilitation, Physical and Behavioral Health and other community resources). <i>(scored below)</i>				
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Court System 	File Name:			
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Department for Community Based Services 	File Name:			
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Department for Corrections 	File Name:			
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Education System 	File Name:			
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Vocational Rehabilitation 	File Name:			
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Physical and Behavioral Health Providers 	File Name:			
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community Resource Example 	File Name:			
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	Effective Engagement of Natural Supports				
	Define natural supports and provide an example of these supports (i.e., both personal and community). <i>(scored below)</i>				
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Definition 	File Name:			
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Example of Personal Support 	File Name:			
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Example of Community Support 	File Name:			
		Page No.:			
	Provide instruction on engagement strategies (specifically how to identify, link and develop natural supports). <i>(scored below)</i>				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Engagement Strategies - Identify Natural Supports 	File Name:				
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Engagement Strategies – Link Natural Supports 	File Name:				
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Engagement Strategies – Develop Natural Supports 	File Name:				
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Empowering Consumers					
Define and describe empowerment.	File Name:				
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Define and describe enabling.	File Name:				
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Provide at least 3 examples of empowerment strategies (as opposed to enabling) for the Targeted Case Manager to use. <i>(scored below)</i>					

	Example 1 Empowerment Strategy	File Name: Page No.:			
	Example 2 Empowerment Strategy	File Name: Page No.:			
	Example 3 Empowerment Strategy	File Name: Page No.:			
Core Competency 9. Developmental Perspectives Across the Life Span (1 hour)	Developmental Perspectives Across the Life Span				
	Define and discuss Stages of Human Development across the Lifespan (infancy to geriatric population) citing research/source (e.g., Erickson's Psycho Social States, Piaget or other)	File Name: Page No.:			
	Provide at least 3 different scenarios of individuals who are in different stages of development and provide instruction on different case management strategies used in each. <i>(scored below)</i>				
	Example 1 Scenario	File Name: Page No.:			
	Example 2 Scenario	File Name: Page No.:			
	Example 3 Scenario	File Name: Page No.:			
Core Competency 10. Documentation - Regulations. (1 hour)	Documentation/Regulations				
	Provide the managed care/Medicaid requirements for documentation for Targeted Case Management services. (Including discharge requirements and transition requirements between programs.)	File Name: Page No.:			
	Provide information on managed care/Medicaid requirements including medical necessity and the development of goals and objectives for the client.	File Name: Page No.:			
	Provide instruction on monitoring services and assessing and reassessing needs as indicated by client progress or feedback.	File Name: Page No.:			
	Provide instruction on modification to documentation as a result of monitoring and assessment activities.	File Name: Page No.:			
	Define the role of a Targeted Case Manager as provided for in both Department for Behavioral Health, Developmental and Intellectual Disabilities and the Department for Medicaid Services regulations: 907 KAR 15:040, 907 KAR 15:050, 907 KAR 15:060 and 908 KAR 2:260. <i>(scored below)</i>				
	• 907 KAR 15:040	File Name: Page No.:			

	<ul style="list-style-type: none">907 KAR 15:050	File Name: Page No.:			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">907 KAR 15:060	File Name: Page No.:			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">908 KAR 2:260	File Name: Page No.:			